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For Members of the Worldwide Father Peyton Guild

United in Prayer for a Spiritual Cause



From the Vice Postulator/Guild Director

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

During the Advent Season, we prepare and watch for the coming of Our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ.

Recently, Father Jomon Kalladanthiyil, C.S.C., National Director of Family Rosary U.S.A., preached about the custom in India of family and friends spontaneously visiting each other's homes. He explained that no appointment was necessary and the visit was recognized as a gift.

No matter where you live in the world, we are all called by the Lord to take special care during this holy time of preparing, watching, and praying for our families, friends, and neighbors. Though we live in different places, **through the Father Peyton Guild we are united in prayer** for our families, Father Peyton's Cause for Sainthood, and peace in our world.

At times we may wonder how the next day, month, or year will unfold; how we can find the time, money, strength, etc. to care for our families. It is at these moments that we recall the incredible gift of our Savior, Jesus being born into our world. And, from this **we find a reason for hope**.

Father Patrick Peyton, C.S.C., grew up in a family that had a love for the Lord and our Blessed Mother. Like all families, they had struggles ... but each night they would be united as a family in praying the Rosary. **There's a peace and joy that comes from praying together that cannot be found elsewhere.**

When family and friends visit you during the holidays, what a gift it would be to share with them the hope, peace, and joy found in praying the Rosary. It is in this type of visit that we can share what is most meaningful and life giving with those we love.

Let us open the doors to our homes and our hearts to God and share His presence with our families and friends.

Please know that I will be remembering you and your family's intentions in my Rosary and Mass celebrated at the Father Peyton Center in North Easton, MA, U.S.A. Merry Christmas!

In Jesus and Mary,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Father David S. Marcham".

Father David S. Marcham
Vice Postulator/Guild Director

*"The home that makes a daily practice of the Family Rosary is strong in selflessness,
meets trials courageously, faces life joyously."*

- Venerable Patrick Peyton -